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PLANNING DIRECTIVE NO.Subject: Provision for the ~~Central~~ Coordination of Counterintelligence.

- References: a. CPS Planning Directive #32, ~~dated 8 May 1946~~, subject: "Allocation & Coordination of Intelligence Research Responsibilities."
- b. CPS Planning Directive #38, ~~dated 29 May 1946~~, subject: "Coordination of Collection of Foreign Intelligence Information."

## 1. The Problem:

a. The referenced Planning Directives were issued to the Intelligence Branch and to the Information Branch respectively in order to initiate planning designed to culminate in <sup>by the NIA</sup> the announcement of <sup>broad national policies</sup> ~~specific programs by N.I.A.~~ <sup>to govern the coordination of int res that implicitly</sup> Directives which would insure the centralized coordination of departmental efforts in the intelligence research and the intelligence collection fields, respectively and <sup>to set a program to carry out the policies.</sup> ~~to set a program to carry out the policies.~~

b. It is deemed necessary that similar centralized coordination of <sup>action should be taken</sup> governmental activities in the field of counterintelligence, ~~be effected and~~ that provision therefor be made through appropriate action by the National Intelligence Authority.

## 2. Planning Requirement:

a. The Security Branch will ~~continue the~~ <sup>the subject of policies</sup> study of all factors <sup>to govern the</sup> pertaining to the central coordination of counterintelligence activities related to the national security.

b. The Branch will prepare proposed ~~N.I.A.~~ <sup>NIA</sup> implementing actions related to the subject matter for submittal to the Acting Chief, Central Planning Staff, in duplicate, with an additional copy to be furnished the Policy and Review Branch, by 1 July 1946.

<sup>C. The policy will be submitted in</sup> For the Acting Chief, Central Planning Staff:  
<sup>duplicate, with an additional copy to be</sup>  
<sup>furnished the Policy & Review Branch</sup>

## Distribution:

For action: Security Branch

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3. Deadline for program report submitted by 11 July 1946.